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A MILKING DEVICE AND A METHOD OF HANDLING A MILKING DEVICE

the specification of which (check only one item below):

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